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In response to the Office Action mailed December 20, 2001, please amend the claims as follows:

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166. A system for interacting with a mobile asset to encourage positioning of said mobile asset at a desired single location, comprising:

circuitry identifying position or motion information for said mobile asset,

storage for data referencing activity of a mobile asset,

processing circuitry reviewing said position or motion information and said data without human intervention, to correlate said position or motion information with activity of a mobile asset referenced in said data, identifying a desired single location for said mobile asset, and advising a person responsible for control of said mobile asset of the desired single location for said mobile asset based upon the correlation of said position or motion information with activity of a mobile asset referenced in said data.

119 169. The system of claim 167 wherein said person responsible for control of said mobile asset is a driver of said vehicle

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